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RE:

Petition for Arbitration of the Interconnection Agreement between BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. and Time Warner Telecom of the Mid-South, L.P. Pursuant to Section 252(b) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996 Docket No. 99-00797

Dear Mr. Waddell:

Pursuant to the Staff Data Request of January 11, 2001, please find below the responses of Time Warner Telecom of the Mid-South, L.P. Copies are being provided to counsel of record in this cause.

REQUEST: Why has the arbitrated Interconnect Agreement in this docket not been submitted to the Authority for approval?

RESPONSE: The final draft of the agreement was not completed and distributed for execution until December 14, 2000. The agreement was executed on December 15, 2000.

REQUEST: When will the arbitrated Interconnection Agreement in this Docket be submitted to the Authority for approval?

RESPONSE: BellSouth has agreed to coordinate the filing of the agreement for approval by the Authority by January 24, 2001.

Very truly yours,

FARRIS, MATHEWS, BRANAN, BOBANGO & HELLEN, P.L.C.

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